OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL Division of Operations-Management

MEMORANDUM OM 98-73

September 10, 1998

TO: All Regional Directors, Officers-in-Charge,

and Resident Officers

FROM: Richard A. Siegel, Associate General Counsel

SUBJECT: PTI Labor Research, Inc.

It has come to our attention that labor law consultants known as PTI Labor Research, Inc. are continuing to solicit our employees for receipt of information about representation case filings, and are requesting that our employees solicit business on their behalf. As you may know, PTI and a similar entity known as Labor-Relations Institute (LRI) have improperly solicited our employees in the past. (See OM 98-9). These ongoing solicitations by PTI have been referred to the Inspector General for investigation. Please advise your employees of this situation and request that they report any such solicitation to you at the earliest possible time. Any information your employees may obtain during these solicitations may prove valuable in the Inspector General's ongoing investigation.

Employees should also be reminded that providing information to PTI or engaging in business solicitations on behalf of PTI under these circumstances is prohibited.

Please relay any information regarding PTI that comes to your attention immediately to your Assistant General Counsel or Deputy, or contact the Office of the Inspector General directly.

If you have any questions about this matter, please contact the undersigned.

R. A. S.

cc: NLRBU

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